

## Holy Redeemer Institutional Church of God in Christ

### Organization Description

Holy Redeemer Institutional Church of God in Christ has strengthened the capacity of faith-based and community organizations in the Milwaukee and southeastern Wisconsin area for the past 17 years, providing these agencies with training and technical assistance. Holy Redeemer also provides direct services through the operation of five schools for at-risk youth and numerous social service programs.

### Project Description

The Holy Redeemer Compassion Capital Fund Demonstration Program will strengthen faith-based and community organizations in five southeastern Wisconsin counties to achieve the vision of communities rich with high-quality social service programs. Organizations that provide services to address the following areas will be eligible to participate: homelessness, prisoners re-entering the community and children of prisoners, at-risk youth, addiction, elders in need, families moving from welfare to work, and couples that choose marriage for themselves.

### Geographic Scope of Project

Five southeastern Wisconsin counties:

- Brown
- Kenosha
- Milwaukee
- Racine
- Rock

### Partnering Organizations

Holy Redeemer Institutional Church of God in Christ will partner with the Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Milwaukee (BGC). BGC will provide program evaluation and staff training as well as technical assistance on outcome measurement and strategic planning.

### Sub-Awards

Holy Redeemer will provide sub-awards to 25 to 30 organizations annually with awards ranging from \$5,000 to \$7,000.

### Project Objectives

1. Host a series of five four-hour workshops in the areas of strategic planning, financial management, board development, fundraising, and outcome measurement;
2. Provide 30 hours of one-on-one coaching to participating organizations;
3. Provide additional technical assistance designed to improve faith-based and community organizations' program effectiveness, organizational management, and ability to access funding from diverse sources.

### Project Strategies

- Provide technical assistance through seminars, conferences and one-on-one coaching to increase faith-based and community organizations' capacity in program development and sustainability;

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- Provide sub-awards to grassroots faith-based and community organizations for building the design, capacity, and effectiveness of their social programs.

**Grant Award Amount**  
\$626,598